

LABORATE PROGRAM TO MARK U. C. V. REUNION

Schedule Includes Trio of Balls, Great Parade and Review.

MAURY MEMORIAL STONE

Seventy Honoring "Pathfinder of the South" Probably Most Impressive Feature of Ceremonies—Convention Opens June 20.

Let there be no mistake about the date of the reunion—it will be held on June 20, 21 and 22. In referring to plans for the forthcoming Confederate reunion last night, General L. Lane Stern, general chairman of the reunion committee, made this statement:

"There seems to be some confusion about this," said General Stern, "according to reports which have reached me. The dates of the reunion proper have been fixed and set on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, June 20, 21 and 22."

"The confusion about the dates," General Stern continued, "is undoubtedly due to the fact that the reunion and convention of the Sons of Confederate Veterans and the Confederate Veterans Association will start on Monday, June 19. It is customary for the sons and the affiliated Confederate organizations to meet at the same time and place with the veterans. However, the programs of these bodies are much more than that of the veterans, and consequently they will adjourn on Monday, June 19."

Plan Elaborate Program.

The program of the reunion and convention indicates that this will be one of the most elaborate and fully attended reunions in the history of the United Confederate Veterans. Three Confederate balls have been definitely arranged for, of course, there will be a great parade and review. Concerts and receptions will help in any way these may be in the stated program. Probably the most impressive feature of all the ceremonies will be the laying of the corner stone for the monument to Matthew Fontaine Maury, the "Pathfinder of the Seas" and hero of a Confederate navy.

Plans for the accommodation of veterans rapidly are taking definite shape, under the direction of Major B. B. Morgan, chairman of the formation and quarters committee. He has requested all citizens who wish to do so to open their homes to the care of one or more veterans.

Halfpence Make Concessions.

All veterans and accompanying members of their families will be accorded the privilege of a 1-cent fare by transportation companies in the South, to and from Richmond, during the period of the reunion. Tickets will be placed on file at all points in ample time to allow the veterans to reach Richmond on or before June 19.

Members of auxiliary Confederate organizations, sponsors and made aid matrons of honor also will travel reduced rates, the transportation companies agreeing to accept a one-cent fare for the round-trip.

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Resolutions of greeting and congratulation to former President Wilson, President Harding, Secretary Hughes and Premier Lloyd George in behalf of world peace were presented this afternoon. They were referred to the committee on resolutions.

Formal invitations for the 1923 convention were extended in behalf of Hot Springs, Ark.; Kansas City and New Orleans.

The Southern Baptist convention today declined to appoint a committee to join with one from the Northern Baptist convention in drawing up a new statement of Baptist faith or to name a standing committee to co-operate with the Northern convention in various activities.

Come From Unofficial Source.

Proposals for such action came, it was explained by Dr. E. Y. Mullins, Louisville, president of the convention, from an unofficial conference of members of both conventions recently held at Columbia, Mo. The Southern convention's committee report declared relations between the two bodies "are wholly sympathetic and fraternal" now and that there is no occasion for Southern Baptists to take the initiative in writing a new confession of faith.

Corresponding secretaries of various boards of the convention were selected today and the members of the boards and important committees appointed including many women for the first time. Other action taken was a pledge to co-operate in the Baptist world-wide alliance conference at Stockholm in July, 1923.

Laymen's Work Large Topic.

The laymen's missionary movement was the chief topic of the morning session and its report showing that 248,413 Southern Baptist laymen now give one-half of their income to religious work was adopted.

Preachers must practice as well as preach tithing, if the laymen are to be expected to do so, the convention was told by the Rev. J. L. Dunas, Knoxville. "I've found men who preach it but don't practice it," he said. "It's no use asking the pastor to practice and preach tithing, if on the front seat sits Old Deacon Skinfint, who gives the lie to it all," said Frederick A. Agar, New York City, an efficiency secretary of the Northern Baptist Convention, who addressed the session as fraternal delegate, and devoted much time to laymen's work. Mr. Agar paid a tribute

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secured a marriage license in Bristol and went over into North Carolina. He was married by a minister under authorization of the paper, which, of course, was illegal in that State. The Bristol man was requested by the State Bureau of Vital Statistics to file his certificate, and then a trouble started. He visited the clerk that had issued the license and formed him that he had been married in North Carolina; that he could find the marriage certificate, and that he could not locate the minister. The couple found it necessary to re-marry in Bristol fifteen months after the original ceremony.

Courts also have difficulties rough the failure of marriages to properly recorded. A number of cases have come up in recent years here it was impossible to prove any as the marriage could not be substantiated by record.

Under the State law, clerks are required to forward annually to the State Bureau of Vital Statistics the records of their offices as far as they pertain to marriages and divorces. It must be done in the first two months of the year. Ministers are required to furnish the marriage certificate to the clerk of the court within thirty days after the marriage is solemnized, but there is said to be considerable laxity in this sections.

Thousands of couples have no tangible or documentary evidence of their nuptials. An official certificate marriage will be supplied to these by the bureau at a nominal cost of cents. In cases where one of the sons has served in the Red Cross, Associated Charities or in the Army or naval forces of the United States, no charge is made.

NEGRO ASSAILANT IS BURNED IN TEXAS

Terrible Death Meted Out to Man Who Identified as Criminal.

[By Associated Press.] ONEROE, TEX., May 20.—Joe Winters, negro, 25 years old, was burned the stake in the courthouse yard in this afternoon. Thousands of sons, including women and children, witnessed the burning. Winters, just before the match, touched to his oil-saturated shirt, admitted an attack upon a year-old white girl, near Leon.

The burning of Winters followed a chase with bloodhounds.

Bread War On in Paris.

PARIS, May 20.—Although Paris is in an indignation meeting the government's fixing the price bread at one franc per kilogram, it is an ultimatum, they have not presented it to the authorities. It declared that unless the government removed the fixed price they would make no more commencing today, but would place their ovens personnel at the disposition of the state, which could then do the very business for Paris.

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Three times as many men among Southern Baptists have adopted a tenth of their income as the minimum of their contributions to religious work as were doing this a year ago. It was announced in the annual report of the Laymen's Missionary Movement to the Southern Baptist Convention, made public here today by Dr. J. T. Henderson, of Knoxville, secretary of the movement.

The goal of the organization is 500,000 titheers among Southern Baptists and to induce business men to take a larger part in church activities.

The laymen's movement, student religious activities, Baptist city councils, women's work, the negro theological seminary and allied topics took up the greater part of today's sessions. The question of establishing a great South-wide Baptist university has been deferred for another year.

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